OFFICE OF GOVERNOR RONNIE MUSGROVE INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: GOVERNOR

FROM: RILEY

SUBJECT: TRIP TO DC TO WORK THE HILL ON EDUCATIONAL BILLS

DATE 5/18/01 **CC:** FILE

Working between the Congressional calendar and your calendar, June 5 or June 6 appear to be the 2 most likely days for you to make a trip to DC to discuss educational issues before the bills reach conference. If you want to do this, please consider the scenarios below and advise me as to your wishes so that Fred can start setting up appointments:

- <u>Tuesday, June 5</u>: You have a 7:30-8:30 statewide elected officials breakfast and a 5:00 p.m. fundraiser on the coast on the calendar. You would have to fly up to DC after the breakfast and then fly directly back to the coast for the 5:00 p.m. fundraiser. You have two speaking engagements on the coast the next morning, so you might be spending the night on the coast.
- Wednesday, June 6: You now have 2 speaking engagements, both of which are on the coast, on the calendar the Supervisors Convention at 8:30, followed by the MS Institute on School Health, Wellness and Safety at 9:00. You could fly directly from the coast to DC and then on to New York for the picnic, which starts on Thursday, June 7. You need to check with the First Lady as to if she and the kids would want to do this because it would mean they would have the day open in DC and ya'll would be leaving earlier than expected (morning rather than evening) for the NYC picnic.

Thanks!